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## But—???

Everybody likes to wear good clothes; every man, every woman, every child. They like to feel that the garments they have on were made for them; it's a satisfaction that's worth paying for, but—

Some tailors charge too much for it; perhaps they need the money; we don't know. But—why not

**PAY LESS AND DRESS BETTER**

After you have selected the pattern for a suit of clothes, all you can get in it at any price is style and fit. You may say that in addition the garments should be well made; but that's only a repetition. If they fit and have style about them, they are well made, you may depend upon that; and if they are well made, they fit and have style; the terms are inseparable.

We are in the tailoring business. We show a carefully selected line of some five hundred choice patterns in Fall and Winter Woollens. These are from

"THE HOUSE THAT SETS THE PACE"

**The Royal Tailors**

CHICAGO, U. S. A.

and they handle all our tailoring orders. The new goods are truly beautiful and the prices are sure to interest those who appreciate values.

MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS  
BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS  
LADIES' DRESS AND WALKING SKIRTS

All garments made to exact measurements, in the clean, light and wholesome Royal work-rooms; no sweat-shop labor; no fancy prices; no failing to satisfy. See the Royal line—use your judgment—that's all we ask.

**G. E. COOK, Agent, Socorro, N. M.**

## PLOWS and FARM MACHINERY.

If you have not received copy of our Catalogue write at once. Our stock of the above goods is larger and more complete than ever.

SEND US YOUR ORDERS.

Agency, New Mexico and Arizona,  
**HOME COMFORT STEEL RANGES.**

**WHITNEY COMPANY**  
WHOLESALE  
**HARDWARE**

113-115-117 South First St., Albuquerque, New Mexico.

## CROWN MILL COMPANY

The Crown Mill Company of Socorro is now offering a better bargain than ever before in flour of the very best quality.

**KANSAS HIGH PATENT, \$2.30 PER HUNDRED**

This flour is guaranteed to be equal to or better than any other Kansas flour made. Try it and be satisfied.

**Well known to be the best.**

### SYNOPSIS OF STATEMENT

—of—

**INSURANCE COMPANIES**  
represented by  
**J. E. SMITH,**  
SOCORRO, NEW MEXICO.

Synopsis of statement of the  
**Atlas Assurance Company,**  
of London, United States Branch,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$1,288,221.07  
Liabilities.....755,464.98  
Surplus.....\$532,756.09

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**Fireman's Fund Insurance Company,**  
of San Francisco, California,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$5,202,587.60  
Liabilities.....2,401,865.78  
Surplus.....\$2,800,721.82

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**Hartford Fire Insurance Company,**  
of Hartford, Connecticut,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$13,443,566.37  
Liabilities.....9,012,406.64  
Surplus.....\$4,431,159.73

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**Insurance Company of North America,**  
of Philadelphia, Pa.,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$10,702,583.61  
Liabilities.....5,713,994.56  
Surplus.....\$4,988,589.05

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co.,**  
of England, United States Branch,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$11,204,714.27  
Liabilities.....6,392,511.35  
Surplus.....\$4,812,202.92

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**National Fire Insurance Company,**  
of Hartford, Connecticut,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$6,205,393.71  
Liabilities.....4,634,590.97  
Surplus.....\$1,570,802.74

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**North British & Mercantile Insurance Co.,**  
of London and Edinburgh, United States Branch,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$5,738,296.11  
Liabilities.....3,480,052.79  
Surplus.....\$2,258,243.32

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**Norwich Union Fire Insurance Society,**  
of England, United States Branch,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$2,411,474.88  
Liabilities.....1,685,710.42  
Surplus.....\$725,764.46

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**Philadelphia Underwriters,**  
of Erie, Pennsylvania,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$16,853,406.61  
Liabilities.....\$10,689,887.56  
Surplus.....\$6,163,519.05

Synopsis of Statement of the  
**United States Fidelity and Guaranty Co.,**  
of Baltimore, Maryland,  
January 1, 1903.

Assets.....\$2,952,867.80  
Liabilities.....970,868.88  
Surplus.....\$1,972,998.92

Annual Statement of  
**The Montezuma Savings, Loan and Building Association,**  
January 1, 1903.

RESOURCES  
Real Estate Loans.....\$81,500.00  
Stock Loans.....1,049.00  
Accounts Receivable.....404.27  
Advanced Members.....435.67

LIABILITIES  
Stock, Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits.....\$62,031.64  
Guaranty Fund.....3,357.61  
Individual Sundries.....321.39  
Accounts Payable.....61.35  
Bills Payable.....10,000.00  
Uncompleted Loans.....2,694.40  
Due Bank and Checks Outstanding, Less Cash and Cash Items on Hand.....6,922.55

Surplus.....\$85,388.94

**Abram Abeysa Bound Over.**

Ex-Treasurer Abram Abeysa was arrested Monday on a charge of taking unlawful possession of certain official books pertaining to the office of the county treasurer. The case was brought before Justice Amos Green. The ex-treasurer waived examination and was placed under \$2,000 bond to await the action of the grand jury.

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### NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Summary of Important Events Condensed from the Press Dispatches.

There were big floods in Pennsylvania Monday.

An extensive strike is threatened on the Wabash.

The 57th congress adjourned sine die Wednesday noon.

The 57th congress expired Wednesday noon, March 4, by limitation.

Pope Leo celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of his coronation Tuesday.

The existence of the court of private land claims has been extended to June 30, 1904.

Some of the large reduction mills of Colorado are having serious trouble with striking union men.

The president called an extra session of the United States senate to convene Thursday noon, March 5.

Senator Gorman has been re-elected to his old position as chairman of the Democratic senatorial caucus.

It is reported that Mr. Bryan has declared that if the Gold Democrats triumph in the next Democratic national convention he will nominate an independent ticket.

The United States senate was convened Thursday noon, March 5, by proclamation of President Roosevelt for the consideration of the Panama canal treaty and the Cuban reciprocity treaty.

Kansas suffered the heaviest fall of snow on record Saturday. In the western part of the state the snow was twenty inches deep on the level. The loss of stock was heavy, as feed was scarce.

A Rock Island train that left Chicago, February 23, arrived in El Paso Tuesday evening 100 hours late. The delay was caused by heavy snows in Eastern New Mexico.

The contest between the miners' union on one hand and the mill owners and mine owners on the other hand in Colorado is not yet settled. It is resulting in great harm to the mining interests of the state.

The findings of the coal strike commission have at last been announced. The strikers get an increase of ten percentum, the methods of the operators are condemned, and the nine hour day is recommended.

In the convention of the cattle and horse growers' association in Denver Saturday, a resolution was adopted unanimously authorizing the chairman to appoint a committee of five members to prepare legislation for the benefit of the industry and to ask the sheep men to join them.

**Public School, Perhaps.**

There is a possibility that the public schools of the city will open again Monday morning. It is expected that about \$170 will be available for that purpose from the sale of city lands. This sum with the little now on hand would be enough to make it possible to keep the schools open until the first of April, when the money from licenses will be available. There will then be enough money on hand, it is thought, to keep the schools open for about three months.

Mr. Stackpole, one of the board of education, says that she board will hold a meeting this evening to determine this matter.

**Cemetery Association Meeting.**

At a meeting of the Socorro Cemetery Association Thursday evening J. P. Chase was elected president, J. J. Leeson secretary, and John Greenwald treasurer. These officers were also empowered to act as trustees to attend to all details concerning the framing of by-laws, fencing the cemetery, &c. Members of the association were requested to present at the next meeting plans for platting the cemetery. The meeting adjourned subject to the call of the president.

J. J. LEESON, J. P. CHASE,  
Sec'y. Pres.

Candies, nuts, oranges at Katzenstein's.

**Fifty Years the Standard**



**Awarded**

**Highest Honors World's Fair.**

**Highest Tests U. S. Gov't Chemists**

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO., CHICAGO.

### LEGISLATIVE POINTERS.

An Epitome of What Has Been Done by the Territorial Law Makers During the Week Just Closed.

The general appropriation bill was passed by the Council Monday.

The second bill for the division of Bernalillo county was passed in the Council Saturday after a hard fight.

A House bill providing that mayors of towns should appoint school trustees was promptly tabled indefinitely.

The House passed the local option bill Thursday. Mr. Ortega asked to be excused from voting but when ordered to vote cast his vote in the negative.

Another bill for the division of Bernalillo county was introduced Thursday afternoon by councilman Hughes. The bill was passed yesterday by both houses unanimously.

Mr. Howard has introduced a bill providing that the collectors of taxes shall deposit the sums collected in reputable banks. The bill was referred to the committee on territorial affairs. It should be enacted.

Mr. Hawkins of the Council introduced a bill to make an appropriation for the publication of a text-book on the history of New Mexico. Hon. J. Francisco Chavez to be the author. The bill passed the council unanimously.

The bill making Socorro county a district by itself for district attorney purposes passed the House yesterday morning. An amendment secured by Mr. Howard provides that the district attorney of Socorro county shall receive a salary of \$500.

The Governor announced Monday that he had signed, with other bills, the following: To extend the terms of mayors and others, for the burial of deceased indigent soldiers, to fix the fees of district attorneys, to give mayors the veto power, to create Roosevelt county, to create Quay county, and appropriating \$500 for the relief of A. B. Baca.

Mr. Llewellyn offered a resolution in the Council providing for the creation of a "District of Santa Fe" to be under the control of commissioners appointed by the Governor, providing further for the creation of a county of "Catron" out of a portion of the present Santa Fe county, and providing finally that the remaining portions of Santa Fe county be attached to surrounding counties. The resolution was tabled.

**Piano Wanted.**

Rev. C. F. Taylor of this city would like to rent a piano for a few months—a good one, cheap.

### TO DIVIDE BERNALILLO COUNTY.

Councilman Hughes' Bill to That Effect Passes Both Houses Unanimously.

Bernalillo county has redeemed itself—redeemed itself from as unscrupulous and disreputable a political domination as ever disgraced a decent community.

Both houses of the territorial legislature yesterday passed Councilman Hughes' bill to divide Bernalillo county and create a new county of Sandoval. This means that Albuquerque will now enjoy some measure of self government. Heretofore the political affairs of the county have been controlled by the outside precincts where, according to a popular peasantry, the votes of the sheep and the goats and the dead men were counted.

As a sequel, things are happening. Geo. F. Albright has severed his connection with the Journal-Democrat and that paper in its issue yesterday morning announces that hereafter its policy will be independent Republican. The Boss of Bernalillo has not yet been heard from and probably never will be.

Councilman Tom Hughes and his paper, the Albuquerque Citizen, are receiving a large measure of credit for their efforts to bring about such a condition as will make decency in politics possible in Bernalillo county. The business men of Albuquerque also bestirred themselves mightily in their own interest. All this is wholesome.

### SOCORRO COUNTY FINANCES.

Statement of Receipts and Expenditures from January 1 to February 28.

County Treasurer Hermene G. Baca makes a statement of the conduct of the affairs of his office from January 16, when he assumed the duties of the office, to February 28 as follows:

TRIAL BALANCE.	
Balance	\$5,251.29
Bank Acct.	\$4,643.69
County General	1,574.40
Court Fund	974.15
Int. Fund 1897	243.24
Int. Fund 1898	1,528.82
Survey Fund	125.28
Road Fund	125.11
C. H. and J. Rep.	123.30
Wid. Bounty	955.60
Special County	37.39
Fund	127.70
Cont. of Asst. Acct.	127.70
Int. Fund 1899	3.00
H. G. Baca Comm.	148.06
School Districts	91.71
	\$6,533.10
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Stop overs will be allowed in California on Colonist tickets via Santa Fe April 1st to June 15th, 1903.  
THOS. JACOBS,  
Santa Fe Agt.